

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA**

Nikita Friday, et al, )  
Plaintiff )

vs. )

Rani Transportation, Inc, et al, )  
Defendant )

Case No. CIV-20-14-D

December 2020 TRIAL DOCKET

**SCHEDULING ORDER**

Date 4-6-2020 Judge Timothy D. DeGiusti Clerk Mike Bailey

Appearing for Plaintiff \_\_\_\_\_  
Appearing for Defendant \_\_\_\_\_

☒ **JURY TRIAL DEMANDED** - ☐ **NON-JURY TRIAL**

**THE FOLLOWING DEADLINES ARE SET BY THE COURT**

1. Motions to join additional parties to be filed by **within 14 days of this order.**
2. Motions to amend pleadings to be filed by **within 14 days of this order.**
3. Plaintiff to **file a final** list of **expert witness(es) in chief and serve expert reports** by August 7, 2020.\*  
Defendant to file a **final** list of **expert witness(es) in chief and serve expert reports to plaintiff** August 21, 2020.\*
4. Plaintiff to file a **final** list of **witnesses**, together with addresses and brief summary of expected testimony where a witness has not already been deposed, by August 21, 2020.\* Defendant to file a **final** list of **witnesses** (as described above) **fourteen** (14) days thereafter.\*
5. Plaintiff to file a **final exhibit** list by August 21, 2020.\* Defendant to file objections to plaintiff's final exhibit list, under Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(3)(B), by **within 14 days**.  
  
Defendant to file a **final exhibit** list 14 days thereafter.\* Plaintiff to file objections to defendant's final exhibit list, under Fed. R. Civ. P. 26 (a)(3)(B) by **within 14 days**.  
  
**\*The listing of witnesses and exhibits shall separately state those expected to be called or used and those which may be called or used if the need arises. Except for good cause shown, no witness will be permitted to testify and no exhibit will be admitted in any party's case in chief unless such witness or exhibit was included in the party's filed witness or exhibit list.**

6. Discovery to be completed by October 4, 2020.
7. All dispositive and *Daubert* motions to be filed by September 4, 2020\*\*.  
  
**\*\*If dispositive motions are filed, the trial setting will change. The parties may also move to stay unexpired scheduling order deadlines pending the Court's ruling on dispositive motions. Absent such a motion, all deadlines will remain in full force and effect.**
8. Trial docket December 1, 2020 \*\*\*  
  
**\*\*\*Trial dockets generally begin the second Tuesday of each month. However, this practice varies, particularly during holidays. The published trial docket will announce the trial setting.**  
  
The interval between the dispositive motion deadline (§ 7) and the trial docket (§ 8) is relatively inflexible. An extension of time to file or respond to a motion for summary judgment will likely affect the trial setting.
9. Designations of deposition testimony to be used at trial to be filed by November 3, 2020. Objections and counter-designations to be filed by 7 days thereafter. Objections to counter-designations to be filed by 7 days thereafter.
10. Motions in limine to be filed by November 3, 2020.\*\*\*\*  
  
**\*\*\*\*Unless leave of Court to file separate motions in limine is granted, all motions in limine shall be consolidated into a single filing, which shall be subject to the page limitation in LCvR 7.1(e).\*\*\*\***
11. Requested voir dire to be filed by November 3, 2020.
12. Trial briefs (optional unless otherwise ordered) to be filed by November 3, 2020.
13. Requested jury instructions to be filed on or before November 3, 2020.\*\*\*\*\*
14. Proposed findings and conclusions of law to be filed not later than November 3, 2020.\*\*\*\*\*  
  
**\*\*\*\*\*In addition to filing, the parties are encouraged, but not required, to submit their proposed jury instructions or findings of fact and conclusions of law in Word format to the Clerk via the Court's designated mail box: degiusti-orders@okwd.uscourts.gov.**
15. Any objection or responses to the trial submissions referenced in 10, 11, 12, 13, or 14 to be filed within **fourteen (14) days** thereafter.
16. The Final Pretrial Report, approved by all counsel, and in full compliance with Local Rules (*see Appendix IV*), together with a **proposed order approving the report**, to be submitted to the Court by November 3, 2020.

17. This case is referred to ADR:

- ☐ Mediation by agreement of the parties, exempt from LCvR 16.3.
- ☐ by Order of the Court:
  - ☐ Court-Ordered Mediation subject to LCvR 16.3.
  - ☐ Judicial Settlement Conference
  - ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

If the Court orders mediation, the process shall be completed and a report filed with the Court by the parties, stating whether the case settled, or not later than \_\_\_\_\_.

18. **Except as otherwise specifically ordered by the assigned judge, this case will not be scheduled for a judicial settlement conference unless, not later than fourteen (14) days after the trial docket is published, the parties file a joint motion requesting a judicial settlement conference. The motion shall contain a certification by counsel that the parties have been advised of the motion and approve its filing. The motion shall further describe in detail the settlement efforts made and dispute resolution techniques previously used in the case.**

19. ☐ The parties consent to trial by a Magistrate Judge.

20. Initial disclosures pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 26 have been made ☐; are excused ☐; or ☐ shall be made not later than \_\_\_\_\_.

21. Other: Objections to exhibits must be shown in the Final Pretrial Report or may be deemed waived. Corporate Disclosure to be filed within 7 days

Dated this 6<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2020\_

BY ORDER OF THE COURT  
CARMELITA REEDER SHINN, CLERK OF COURT

By: /s/ Mike Bailey  
Deputy Clerk

Copies to all parties